

PUBLIC NOTICE

YOU HAVE A VOICE IN AIR POLLUTION CONTROL IN ARIZONA

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) proposes to issue Air Quality Control Significant Permit Revision Number 45450 to Arizona Public Service Company for an electricity generating plant located at 7522 South Somerton Avenue, Yuma, Yuma County, Arizona. The mailing address for the facility is the same as the address noted above. This permit revision will authorize Arizona Public Service Company to add two natural gas compressors of 945 HP each. These compressors are to address a short-term need to increase the pressure of the gas that will be supplied to the two new simple-cycle combustion turbines. The permit revision is subject to the requirements of the Arizona Revised Statute 49-426, and the Arizona Administrative Code, Title 18, Chapter 2, Articles 3 and 7. This proposed permit will limit emissions of nitrogen oxides.

You have an opportunity to submit written comments on the permit and make oral comments on the permit at the public hearing. ADEQ will be holding a public hearing on Thursday, January 3, 2008, at 6:00 p.m. at the Yuma Civic Center located at 1440 W. Desert Hills Dr., Yuma, Arizona 85365. The written comment shall state the name and mailing address of the person, shall be signed by the person, their agent or attorney, and shall clearly set forth reasons why the permit should or should not be issued. Grounds for comment are limited to whether the permit meets the criteria for issuance spelled out in the state air pollution control laws or rules.

Materials related to the Permit, including the application, ADEQ's analysis and the draft permit are available for your review at ADEQ's office at 1110 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona and at Yuma City Clerk's office at One City Plaza, Yuma, AZ 85364.

Persons wishing to submit written comments can do so at the public hearing. If mailed, written comments must be received by January 3, 2008. Comments should be directed to: Nancy C. Wrona, Director, Air Quality Division, Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, 1110 West Washington Street, 3415A-1, Phoenix, Arizona 85007-2935.

ADEQ will consider all comments received in making a final decision on the proposed Permit. Everyone commenting will receive notification of the final decision. People who file comments on the Permit will have the right to appeal the final decision as an appealable agency action to the Office of Administrative Hearing (OAH) pursuant to §41.1092.03, and the appeal must be filed within thirty (30) days after the issuance of the final decision. The OAH may sustain, modify, or reverse the final decision.

Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodation such as a sign language interpreter, by contacting Linda Morrison (602) 771-4793 TDD phone 771-4829. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation.

If you would like to receive copies of future Public Notices of Air Pollution Control Permits, please provide a typewritten or a clearly printed copy of your name, address, and ZIP code, to the Director of Air Quality Division at ADEQ's address shown above. Your request should also state that you wish your name to be placed on the Air Quality Permit mailing list.

If you have any questions or would like to find out more information about this Permit, please contact Trevor Baggiore at (602) 771-2321, when in Arizona (800) 234-5677 (Ext. 771-2321), or at ADEQ's address shown above.